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: NOTICE

This is a notice regarding your request filed August 10, 2009 which is being treated as a request for acceptance of a fee deficiency submission under 37 CFR 1.28.

The request is **DISMISSED**.

The request is dismissed because USPTO regulations require that papers filed in the application be signed by a registered attorney or agent, by the applicants (inventors) or by the assignee of the entire interest who has taken action in the application in accordance with 37 CFR 3.71. The request is signed by Mrs. Gillian Gascoigne. See 37 CFR 1.33(b).

The request states that a copy of a declaration signed by the Assignee confirming a large entity was enclosed. However, the signature is not legible and if signed by an assignee, the assignee must comply with 37 CFR 3.73(b). A blank copy is enclosed for your convenience.

Any questions concerning this matter may be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3208.

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Enclosed: Blank copy of Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b)

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